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Serial No: 09/620,783  
Filed: July 21, 2000  
For: LINKAGE OF AGENTS USING MICROPARTICLES  
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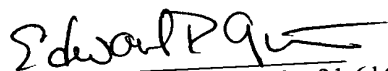
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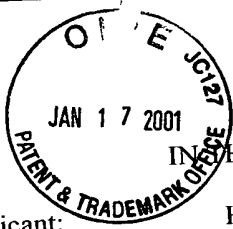
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If the enclosed fees are not sufficient, the balance may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 23/2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of application mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on September 12, 2000.

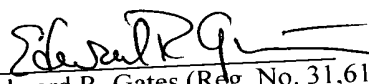
Attached are Declarations and Powers of Attorney executed by all the inventors and executed Small Entity Statements.

Also attached is a check in the amount of \$769.00 to cover the cost of the filing fees and the surcharge for filing a late Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Accordingly, Applicants believe that this document is responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts.

If any other information is needed, please contact the undersigned attorney by phone (617-720-3500, ext. 230) to expedite the further prosecution of this patent application. If the enclosed fees are not sufficient, the balance may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 23/2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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### Fee Calculation Sheet

CLAIMS	FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	41-20=	21x	\$ 18	= \$ 378.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	7-3=	4 x	\$ 80	= \$ 320.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d)) +			\$	= \$
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))	\$ 710.00
	Fee for Petition for Extension of Time (if any)				\$
	Total of above Calculations =				\$ 1,408.00
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).				\$ 704.00
	Assignment Recordation Fee (if any)				\$
	Other Fees (if any) - Surcharge Fee.				\$ 65.00
	TOTAL =				\$ 769.00

1. A check in the amount of \$ 769.00 is enclosed.

#### General Authorization to Charge Deposit Account and General Request for Extension of Time

2. a.X If the filing of any paper in this application necessitates the payment of a fee under 37 CFR §§ X1.16 X1.17 or ☐ 1.18, and the fee due is in an amount different from any enclosed check or if no check is enclosed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.
- b. ☐ The applicant hereby revokes any prior authorization to charge a fee due under 37 CFR §§ ☐ 1.16 ☐ 1.17 or ☐ 1.18.
3. If the filing of any paper in this application necessitates an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136(a), the applicant hereby requests such extension of time. If the fee due is in an amount different from any enclosed check or if no check is enclosed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.

  
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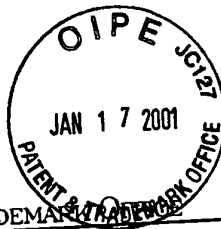
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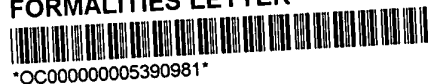


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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 345 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1320.
  - \$1125 for 125 total claims over 20.
  - \$195 for 5 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1730.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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